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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT



APPLICANT(S): CHRISTIAN SACK DOCKET NO.: P01,0241  
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INVENTION: "METHOD, DEVICE AND COMPUTER PROGRAM ELEMENT  
FOR TRANSMITTING PRINT DATA"

Assistant Commissioner For Patents,  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.56, Applicant respectfully requests that a citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

See Form PTO-1449 for list of  
prior art cited by applicants.

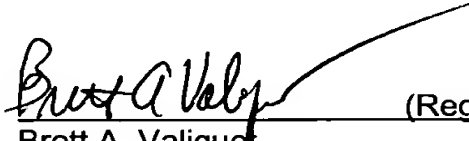
EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

References AR, AS and AT are cited for the reasons noted in Applicant's specification.

Reference AA is cited for its disclosure of an interface system for transmitting graphics data to a printer from a host computer and wherein various buffers are employed.

Copies of all of the above references are enclosed for the Examiner's review.

Respectfully submitted,



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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner's Initials		Document Number	Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If appropriate
	AA	5,671,445	09/23/97	Gluyas et al.			
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**OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)**

	AR	Enterprise Systems Architecture/390 - Common I/O - Device Commands
	AS	Enterprise Systems Architecture/390 System/360 and System/370 I/O Interface Channel to Control Unit Original Equipment Manufactures' Information
	AT	Das Druckerbush - Technik und Technologien der OPS - Hochleistungsdrucker, Drucktechnologien Ausgabe 4a, Mai 1999 ISBN 3-00-001019-X
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